

# WARSHIPS PATROL YANGTZE RIVER

## CHINESE TRAINING GUNS ON WARSHIPS AND RENEW ATTACKS

Soviet Advisor To Nationalists May Have Gone To Shanghai

LONDON, March 29.—While the Chinese are reported to be mounting heavy guns along the Yangtze River and to have actually trained their guns on the British and American warships at Nanking, reports come in that indicate continued attacks with small arms against foreign shipping passing up and down the Yangtze.

Reports received here state that there have been renewed attacks against Americans and British at Wuhu.

The evacuation of foreigners appears to be proceeding rapidly. Only five male foreigners are now left in Klukiang and other ports are said to have been deserted.

All British women and children have been safely taken aboard the cruiser Caradoc off Wuhu.

One party of six Americans arrived at Shanghai from Kiang Yan, after having spent six days making their way down the river in a small Chinese junk without food. When they attempted to go ashore for food they were driven back by the menacing attitude of the nationalists.

Great interest is displayed here in the sudden disappearance of M. Borodin, soviet advisor to the nationalists, and Hsu Chien, minister of justice, from Hong Kong. In some quarters there is a fear they have come to Shanghai to increase the radical activities there, while others believe their departure means the victory of the conservatives in the struggle for control against the radical elements in the nationalist movement.

Advices to the admiralty today stated that the evacuation of foreigners from the Yangtze valley is being made easier by a general rise in the river.

The situation at Nanking is reported improved although there is occasional firing by the Cantonese. A Cantonese commander for foreign affairs has been appointed at Nanking for the preservation of order.

A commune established in the native quarters of Shanghai, has been recognized by the Hankow government executive.

All men are being evacuated from Chang Chow, Chang Kiang and Yikang.

The British cabinet has not decided to send additional troops to China as yet, inasmuch as the French are sending reinforcements and the situation now seems to be quieting.

## DISORDERS FOLLOW ENGLISH ELECTION

LONDON, March 29.—Riotous disorders occurred today in the Southwark district, following the announcement that E. A. Strauss, Liberal, had won the Southwark by-election.

Adherents of the rival candidates including many communists, gathered before the Southwark town hall and after exchanging epithets broke into open fighting when the communists attempted to raise the red flag over the town hall. Women and children were caught in the mad swirl of the fighters and several were injured.

Police reserves were called out and prevented an attack on the town hall.

## CROSSING VICTIM

MARION, O., March 29.—Roy Grover, 30, Toledo, district superintendent of the Standard Oil Company in Ohio was instantly killed at Laure, ten miles west of here today when his automobile was struck by the Northwestern Limited on the Big Four railroad. His body was carried fifty yards on the pilot of the flyer. His car was demolished.

# MINERS OFFER TO DISCUSS WAGE FIGHT WITH OWNERS

## DEATH MAY BE PENALTY FOR ESCAPE

COLUMBUS, O., March 29.—Death may be the penalty at least one of three convicts who smashed a gate and escaped from Ohio State penitentiary here early Sunday, will pay for the brief freedom he enjoyed.

Two of the prisoners, Everett Shoemaker and Monte Delauter, were recaptured late yesterday by a policeman at Mount Sterling, as James Scott, the third man, escaped from the officer.

Delauter, committed from Findlay, was in the prison hospital today, suffering from recurrent hemorrhages of the lungs as a result of the night of exposure. All the prisoners were tubercular patients.

Two guards were dismissed yesterday by Warden Thomas for negligence in permitting the men to escape.

## SETS NEW RECORD

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Mar. 29.—Hurling over the hard sand speedway at the terrific pace of 203.616 miles per hour for one mile; Major H. O. D. Seagrave, intrepid 29-year-old British race driver hung up a new world speed record on the beach here today in his four-ton 1,000 horsepower "Mystery 5."

## STORY OF SAPIRO'S SENSATIONAL RISE EXPLAINED TO JURY

### Plaintiff Takes Stand First Time During Libel Trial

FEDERAL BUILDING, Detroit, March 29.—Aaron Sapiro, the "co-operative king," of American agriculture, today bared the secret of his sensational rise in the farm world to the jury in the million-dollar Ford-Sapiro libel suit.

Sapiro told how he studied co-operative marketing, learned why some succeeded but many failed and finally drafted a new system of organization. In the end 600,000 farmers grouped themselves in co-operatives based on his plan.

Sapiro took the stand to defend himself against the charges of Henry Ford's Dearborn Independent that he had exploited the farmers.

The story Sapiro told, sounded like a Horatio Alger tale, and Sapiro seemed like a character out of the same book. Of slight build, his youthful appearance belied his forty-three years. He resumed his direct testimony by saying he "did some work" in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Illinois and Indiana in addition to the two dozen states named yesterday. Touching on the history of co-operative marketing, Sapiro said a majority of the co-operatives organized before 1915 had failed. He told of studying both the failures and successes among the early associations hunting the secret of successful co-operative marketing.

"What did you find?" asked William H. Gallagher, his chief counsel.

"I found the chief characteristic of co-operative which failed," said Sapiro, "were that they were organized on the locality basis, in small communities. That those that succeeded were organized on a commodity basis. Among the first co-operatives, nearly all were organized locally and nearly all failed."

## COUNTESS AND HER VICTIM SHOWING IMPROVEMENT; HUSBAND WILL AID HER

PARIS, Mar. 29.—The Countess De Janze, the former Alice Silverthorn, of Chicago, who shot herself on Saturday after shooting Raymond De Trafford, with whom she is said to have been in love, was reported to be somewhat improved today. De Trafford also showed improvement and asked to be transferred to a private hospital. His surgeon advised delay for a few days.

Although early reports stated that the bullet from the countess' revolver had inflicted a wound near the region of De Trafford's heart it was stated today that it had traversed his body piercing the stomach and kidney.

Clifford V. Church, lawyer, retained in behalf of the countess, visited her bedside and warned her not to talk to any one, not even the police.

Count De Janze has come forward with a promise to aid his wife despite their domestic differences.

## RADIO COMMISSION MEETS TO UNTANGLE NIGHTLY AIR CHAOS

### Number Of Stations And Widening Of Wave Band Discussed

WASHINGTON, March 29.—Radio was turned inside out here today, when technical political and industrial experts met to unscramble the chaos that is the nightly rule of the air.

The federal radio commission prepared to lay down governmental policies of control, the fundamental principles of which are expected to prevail for many years.

Before a large gathering of engineers, broadcasters, manufacturers and other experts three salient questions were discussed:

1.—Reduction of the number of stations now in the air.

2.—Widening of the present 200-545 meter broadcast band.

3.—Changing the minimum ten kilocycle division between wave channels.

Unless overwhelming necessity for a shift from the policy in effect when Secretary of Commerce Hoover relinquished control of radio last July, is shown, the commission will not widen the broadcast band, alter the wave length division or materially reduce the number of stations on the air.

All three positions will be challenged by radio experts, although the commission anticipates an equal force of argument to support the present system.

The questions of the broadcast band and wave length division are engineering problems, while that of station licensing combines engineering, social, political and local issues.

Commissioners feel that virtually all the 733 stations "on the air," can be accommodated in the new allocation of wave lengths.

More than half of these stations use low power and serve principally a local field. These and many others will be satisfied to obtain licenses for part time operation, according to the information given the commission.

Thus the big field is left comparatively open for nightly operation of the big stations, which because of expense of maintenance must broadcast regularly or go out of business. The commission expects to give these broadcasters, whose range and appeal is national, the privilege of continual operation.

## APPEAL SENTENCE

CLEVELAND, O., March 29.—Attorneys for Mrs. Anna Liszka, self-confessed ax-slayer of her husband, Anton, here last February, have appealed, following her sentence yesterday to sever an indeterminate term in Marysville reformatory.

## Innocent Sufferer in Murder



This exclusive picture shows nine-year-old Lorraine Snyder, perhaps the most tragic figure in the murder of Albert Snyder, magazine art editor and her father. Her mother and Henry Judd Gray, her alleged lover, are charged with the killing. The crime took away her father, may send her mother to prison or the electric chair, and now relatives, split by the tragedy, are fighting for her custody.

## THIRD VICTIM OF DETROIT'S MACHINE GUN WAR SUCCEUMBS

DETROIT, March 29.—Detroit's machine gun war claimed its third victim today.

Frank Wright, alias Burke, alleged Chicago jewel thief and gangster died of bullet wounds suffered yesterday when a machine gun was turned on him and his companions, Sam Cohen and Joe Bloom. Cohen and Bloom were killed instantly.

According to police the only person who can identify the slayers is Albert Albright, 30, who was machine gunned along with Blumfield and later released. Albright is Blumfield's brother-in-law.

John Toltsdorf of Teizdorf, and Sam "Honey" Miller, whose right name is Miragoltodoglav Dyona, house proprietor are the three principal men sought by police. Toltsdorf and Miller occupied the apartment from which the machine gun fire was directed. Miller also is wanted for killing a policeman in Kent, Ohio.

## READERS PICK DR. MCLELLAN AS XENIA'S FOREMOST CITIZEN

Miss Jean B. Elwell First Prize Winner In Contest Recently Conducted—All Prize Winners Honored Xenia Surgeon

Readers of The Evening Gazette and The Morning Republican, writing to these papers in a contest conducted to determine "Xenia's Foremost Citizen," have balloted in favor of Dr. B. R. McClellan.

The contest was begun several weeks ago and extended to permit contestants to prepare letters regarding their favorite for this title and the winners were made known Tuesday when C. S. Fraser, president of the Rotary Club and Karl R. Babb, president of the Kiwanis Club, who acted as judges of the contest, agreed that first prize of \$5 should go to Miss Jean B. Elwell.

well, E. Church St., former head of the English department of Central High School.

Second prize of \$3.00 they awarded to L. H. Barnes, High St., for the second best letter and third prize of \$2.00, was awarded to Robert A. Currie, 217 W. Church St., who wrote the third best letter.

Because Dr. McClellan received more votes than all others combined and because all other nominees received the same number of votes, no second and third choices could be made.

For the same reason it was not possible to make a third choice.

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## POLICY COMMITTEE EXTENDS PROPOSAL FOR SEPARATE PEACE

### Ohio Operator Says Plan Is Trick To Gain Sympathy

INDIANAPOLIS, March 29.—The United Mine Workers of America today held out an olive branch to the operators in the bituminous coal wage controversy in the form of a proposal to negotiate separate wage scales in each of the four districts of the central competitive field.

The policy committee of the union unanimously adopted a resolution authorizing the officers of the four districts to enter into separate negotiations with their respective operators upon the basis of existing agreements. Any such district agreement may become the basic agreement for the whole field.

The policy according to Lewis will "obliterate the necessity of shutting down the coal mines on April 1 when the Jacksonville agreement will have expired as any individual members of the operators' associations can continue working their mines under existing agreements pending final settlement, without prejudice to any future agreement."

"It will not be necessary for anybody to suspend work under this policy," Lewis said. "There will be no walkout of miners unless the operators provoke it."

President Lewis indicated a number of operators in the central competitive field had already expressed a willingness to enter into separate negotiations with the district unions. Separate agreements have already been negotiated in Central Pennsylvania, Michigan, Wyoming, Montana and Washington.

Negotiations are now under way with the southwestern operators. Thirty-one independent operators in Iowa have come to an agreement with the union.

CLEVELAND, O., March 29.—"It's only another trick and means absolutely nothing," declared S. H. Robbins, president of the Ohio Coal Operators Association here today, discussing the latest proposal of the United Mine Workers, sent out from Indianapolis Monday offering to keep miners at work in any mine after March 31, pending the negotiations of a basic wage scale.

"So far as Ohio operators are concerned, I feel positive that the proposal will be rejected," Robbins continued. "The miners committee is simply dodging the responsibility of issuing a strike call at the same time trying to gain popular sympathy for their cause."

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# ATTEMPTING TO BRING OUT AMERICANS BEFORE MORE FIGHTING STARTS

## Cantonese Commander Visits Admiral Williams— Nationalists Blamed For Outrages— Shanghai Reported Quiet

SHANGHAI, March 29.—American warships are scurrying up and down the Yangtze River, often under fire from shore, in a hurried effort to clear the Yangtze valley of Americans before the gathering storm of anti-foreignism breaks into fury.

Efforts are being made to complete the evacuation of Hankow, which is reported to be one of the danger points, and according to official reports today there were twenty-six American men, eleven women and nine children of the missionary forces still in Hankow on Sunday. There were also ninety-three other American men, women and children, non-missionaries, at Hankow on Sunday. It is believed that many of these may have been evacuated now. During the last three days of last week 324 Americans were evacuated from Hankow, where the seriousness of the situation is indicated by the fact that all foreign banks have closed indefinitely.

The U. S. S. Pillsbury left today for Nantung Chow to pick up right American missionaries and then it will proceed to Jukow to evacuate two American missionaries.

The U. S. S. Paul Jones is escorting two refugee ships down the Yangtze to Shanghai.

SHANGHAI, Mar. 29.—Gen. Chang Kai Shek, commander in chief of the Cantonese army, visited Admiral Williams, commander of the United States warcraft in Chinese waters, today on board the admiral's flagship, the armored cruiser, Pittsburgh.

Although notice had been given that the Cantonese commander was to make the visit there was no guard of honor for him. The notice had been sent to the American naval authorities by a subordinate officer Monday.

The city was quiet today and precautionary measures were relaxed somewhat but the air is still surcharged with suspense.

Gen. Snedley Butler, commander of the American marines, inspected their billets in the Golden Road district.

Consul General Moricka, who has just arrived from Nanking, declared that armed women led the nationalists in what were evidently premeditated outrages. Moricka scored the nationalist leaders for their attempt to shift responsibility for the anti-foreign outrages at Nanking upon the northern troops.

Cantonese soldiers are planning a great mass meeting tomorrow when the General Labor Union will launch a drive for funds with which to pay off the union's guerrillas.

Heads of the Chinese chambers of commerce are in a quandry due to the failure of efforts to raise funds to pay the wages of the Cantonese as demanded by the leading officers of the army. It is claimed that similar tactics had been employed by the northern leaders.

Nationalist leaders announce that martial law will be enforced with the utmost strictness in the Chinese areas owing to "the presence of dangerous and lawless armed elements."

While the situation in Shanghai is quieter it is still tense. Menacing situations prevail in many places throughout the south, where mobs of guerrillas and lawless gunmen, taking advantage of the confusion created by the civil war, and inflamed by Chinese and foreign agitators are threatening additional attacks against foreign residents and are destroying foreign owned properties.

Refugees, who are arriving here in an endless stream from coastal points and interior towns, all tell stories of terrorism, cruelty, and growing anti-foreign antagonism.

Attacks against merchant ships bringing refugees to Shanghai and their escorts of small warcraft are on the increase.

The British consulate was advised that particularly heavy gunfire was directed by the Chinese against a British convoy near Hankow. Chinese artillery has been mounted at Wuhu to cover the small British and American warships in anchor off the city.

All Americans have fled from Swatow except a few priests, who refused to depart and leave the church property at the mercy of the Chinese.

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# Greene County Begins Operation On Eastern Time Sunday

Xenia will begin permanent operation under Eastern Standard time Sunday morning, April 3 at 2 o'clock when an emergency ordinance passed by City Commission repealing the old daylight saving ordinance, becomes effective.

All Greene County villages have adopted advanced time beginning Sunday, making the hour uniform over the county.

The recent ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission moved the Eastern time boundary west to include nearly all of Ohio, effective April 3.

The commission, in issuing the order, pointed out that many representatives of municipal, civic and commercial organizations of Cincinnati, Middletown, Dayton, Springfield, Chillicothe, Portsmouth and Ironton, urged adoption of Eastern time for that part of Ohio east of the lines of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad extending from Toledo to Cincinnati.

Shortly afterward the state legislature enacted a law making Eastern standard the uniform time in Ohio, effective June 6, thus creating a perplexing situation. Cities included in the territory affected by the commerce commission ruling automatically go on fast time April 3. Other communities with annual summer daylight saving ordinance which commonly becomes operative the last Sunday in April, prefer to put off making

the permanent change until that date. Still others will adhere to Central Standard time until June 6, when the state law goes into effect.

However, the boundary line of the commerce commission takes in every city of importance in Ohio leaving out such counties as Henry, Fulton, Williams, Defiance, Paulding, Van Wert, Mercer, Darke and Preble. It throws such towns as Defiance, Van Wert, Eaton, St. Marys, Celina and Greenfield on old time, and possibly Piqua may remain in the Central time zone.

Contemplated revision in the daily schedules of both county and Xenia city schools, delaying the time of going to school in the morning half an hour, is the greatest re-

action from the new time change Sunday.

County school superintendents, at a recent informal meeting, tentatively went on record as favoring schedule 8 to 11:15 a. m. and 12:25 to 3:15 p. m. With the grade schools of the city, a different position is faced and the schedule may be postponed half an hour so as not to cause inconvenience.

The O. S. and S. O. Home will begin operation on fast time Sunday and in addition the schedule for the day will be moved back half an hour. For instance instead of blowing in at 5:30 a. m. as heretofore, the Home whistle will be heard at 6 o'clock and 1 to 4 o'clock, and tend to mitigate the hardship a winter schedule of going to school on fast time would work on pupils. Individual school boards are expected to decide the issue permanently.

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Eastern and Central Standard time. Cedarville, Yellow Springs, Clinton, Springfield, Jamestown, Bowersville, Bellbrook and probably Osborn and Fairfield have adopted the new time.

Whether any change is contemplated in the regular work-day hours of employees of Xenia factories is not known. It is believed no change will be made during the summer months at least. Officials of the Xenia Shoe Manufacturing Co. have definitely announced the present ten-hour schedule beginning at 6:30 a. m. will be followed out the year around.

In Cedarville no change will be made in working hours but factory whistles will blow half an hour

later than usual, resulting in a 12 o'clock noon instead of 11:30.

Many surrounding cities have found the time question a weighty problem. Dayton will go on the new time Sunday but Springfield will operate on Central time until the state officially changes over June 6. Troy and Wilmington have made no decision.

The Pennsylvania and Baltimore and Ohio Railroads, and interurban traction lines will operate on advanced time Sunday.

County Commissioners intimate the county offices in the Court House will be placed on the new time Sunday and the clock in the Court House tower turned ahead one hour in conformity.



## WHAT to WEAR and HOW to WEAR IT



By LUCY CLAIRE  
Favorite Fashion Adviser  
of the Smart Set

Scarves, Scarves! Thrown over the shoulder, twisted about the neck, tied beneath the chin and worn in a dozen different styles. I promise you that you must wear a scarf with at least one outfit this spring if you would be really smart, and let this scarf be the flare of color for your costume. A scarf must be chosen in relation to your costume—that is, a fluttering chiffon scarf would not be worn with the same costume that a tailored square would fit, nor are the same colors and designs suitable for all occasions—even the style with which it is worn and the shape of the scarf adapts its use specifically.

The scarf at the left, worn with a tiny hat of hand crocheted straw, is a straight rectangular shape and is about a yard and a half long and not more than eighteen inches wide. It would be well to inquire about the coloring technique used on any scarf you consider purchasing, for without the assurance of its being colorfast, you can neither trust it to the cleaner nor to soap and water.

Generally speaking these scarves fall in three or four groups: hand-blocked, hand painted, printed and appliqued. The hand blocked method is always used on scarves of the best quality and stores usually guarantee these articles as colorfast and recommend simple instructions for rinsing them out at home—such as using a mild solution of salt water to set the color.



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DYSPEPSIA TABLETSDo You Have  
These Symptoms?

Folks Near or Past Forty Should  
Watch These Danger Signs

Dizziness, headaches, shortness of breath, distress after eating, gas in stomach and bowels, pressure or sharp pains in right side that often shoot through to the back, coated tongue, bad breath, lack of ambition, weakness, nervousness and nights of misery caused by bad dreams or inability to sleep—these are some of "The Danger Signals" indicating hepatic torpidity, gall stones or gall bladder inflammation.

Thousands of lives have been wrecked and other thousands made thoroughly miserable because they did not heed these warning signs in time. Women in the "Forties" are particularly liable to these troubles and hundreds who think they have high blood pressure are simply suffering from hepatic torpidity or gall bladder inflammation.

Don't take a chance on gall stones and don't let your system get filled with poison that may cause months or even years of miserable ill health. At the very first warning sign ask Sayre's Drug Store or any other good drugstore for "Klax-Ko" tablets and be assured of swift and positive relief or your money promptly refunded. Klax-Ko tablets have brought new life and health to hundreds who thought they had some dangerous internal trouble—and in many instances have saved the pain and expense of an operation for gall stones. Ten days use will convince you of their honest value in your particular case. Try them tonight! —Adv.

followed by rinsing in a soapy water of tepid temperature. A well made hand-painted scarf is treated after its completion with solutions which prevent the color from running, but you must ascertain this before buying it. Prints are often-times unsafe investments in any form because the color is stamped on by a machine process while applique combines solid color materials of different qualities and texture and depends largely on the individual attributes of each. I have purchased selected patterns for you today that are hand blocked and you can see by the clear concise line of division that the blocking is bright and accurate.

But to return, again, to the scarf at the left which is made in a complete range of those delightful spring tones of blue. The two-inch border and background is of a

## ORDINANCE NO. 325

TO PROTECT RESIDENCE STREETS AND BLOCKS AND STREETS OR BLOCKS IN WHICH ARE LOCATED CHURCHES, SCHOOLS AND HOSPITALS AGAINST THE LOCATION AND ESTABLISHMENT THEREOF OF CERTAIN CLASSES OF BUSINESS WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF PROPERTY OWNERS THEREON.

Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Xenia:

SECTION 1. No gas plant, or gas reservoir, gasoline filling station, public garage, public automobile repair shop, automobile wrecking or storing yard, junk yard or junk shop, blacksmith shop, metal forging plant, foundry, boiler works, stock yards, slaughter house, rendering plant, fertilizer works, grain elevator, ice house, ice manufacturing plant, brick kiln, cement manufacturing plant, planing mill, poultry raising or poultry killing establishment, shall be erected or constructed or established in any existing building on any street or within a distance of 150 feet from any such street on which said street two-thirds of the buildings for a distance of 250 feet in either direction from the boundary lines of the property to be occupied by such business on the same side of the street therewith and for an equal distance on the opposite side of said street are used either entirely or the major part thereof for residence purposes, without the written consent of the owners of two-thirds of the foot frontage of real estate bounding and abutting on both sides of said street within the aforesaid distances.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall not be construed as requiring consent for any business already established, for making repairs, replacement, or enlargement, providing such enlargement be on lands or lots in the same block or square and contiguous to that already occupied by it.

SECTION 3. "Gasoline filling station" as used herein, is defined to be one or more gasoline tanks or pumps from which gasoline is sold to customers. This ordinance shall not be construed to require the consent herein provided for in order to place a gasoline tank or tanks or pumps on the premises connected with a garage or other place of business for the owner's own use.

SECTION 4. No such business of any of the classes enumerated in Section 1 hereof shall be located so that the property line of the lots or lands occupied by such business is within 100 feet of the property line of any lots or lands occupied by any school, church or hospital, except upon approval of the commission, which approval shall not be granted without the written consent of the governing body of such school, church or hospital.

SECTION 5. The various sections, paragraphs, and clauses of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable, and if any section, paragraph, or clause of this ordinance is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid for any reason whatsoever, the remainder of the ordinance shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION 6. That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith and the same hereby are repealed.

SECTION 7. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed this 24th day of March 1927.  
S. MILTON McKAY,  
President of City Commission.  
Attest: T. H. ZELL,  
Clerk of City Commission

ends brought forward and its color tone is lovely—shading from flesh to a deep magenta.

For those who have the flare for styles a bit extreme and severe, I like the square handkerchief scarf at the right which is worn in a jabot style beneath a spring taitleur. This type of scarf demands a conventional pattern and a concentration of color to be the most effective.

PUPILS WILL GET  
TEN-DAY VACATION

For the first time in a number of years, pupils in the city schools are to enjoy the pleasure of a brief spring vacation this year.

School will be dismissed April 1 and class work will be resumed April 10, giving pupils a ten-day vacation period which actually includes seven school days.

## Mothers, Do This—

When the children cough, rub Musterole on their throats and chests. No telling how soon the symptoms may develop into croup, or worse. And then's when you're glad you have a jar of Musterole at hand to give prompt relief.

As first aid, Musterole is excellent. Keep a jar ready for instant use. It is the remedy for adults, too. Relieves sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, chilblains, frosted feet and colds of the chest (it may prevent pneumonia).

To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

Jars & Tubes



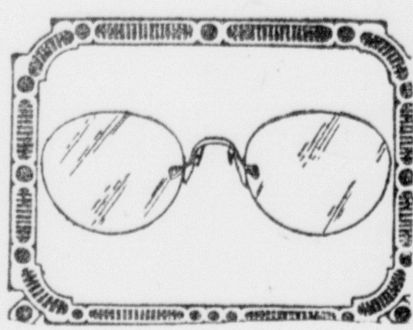
Better than a mustard plaster

## Clear as Crystal

GLASSES of the finest quality are hardly noticeable to the wearer after getting used to them.

WE supply only THE VERY BEST KIND—properly fitted, and guarantee your entire satisfaction.

WE are thoroughly equipped to render you valuable eye service.



Optical Department

Tiffany Jewelry Store

HAVE YOUR NEXT  
SUIT

MADE TO MEASURE

\$25 to \$60

Cleaning, Dyeing, Pressing

DeMint's Toggery Shop

15 Green St.

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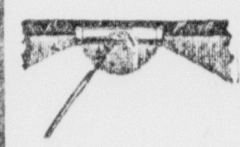
17-19 S. Whiteman St.

A factory representative will demonstrate the remarkable qualities and many uses for this wonderful new finish, adapted for brush application in a variety of popular colors and stains.

Come in and see how easy it is to apply—how quickly it dries

Bring in a small article and have it finished free of charge.

## SPECIAL PRICE



TRICO AUTOMATIC  
WIND SHIELD WIPER

\$2.98

HAND WIPER

79c

FAMOUS AUTO SUPPLY

THE YELLOW FRONT

Wednesday Specials  
DOUBLE STAMPSAMAZING SELLING  
"Wirthmor Frocks"

Mail Your Order

Phone Orders Filled

## Correct - New Styles for Springtime

The most distinctive modes of the season are offered in this timely presentation of new "Wirthmor" frocks - shown nowhere else in town.

This remarkable selling presents you with a most unusual opportunity to supply your needs for months to come - at a wonderfully nice saving.

These "Wirthmor" Shown by Us Exclusively!

Misses' Sizes Regular Sizes Larger Women  
(16 to 20) (36 to 46) (46 to 52 1/2)

## WEDNESDAY SPECIALS

\$1.50 Printed Radium	\$1.39
Wednesday Special	
\$2.00 Printed Foulard	\$1.69
Wednesday Special	
39 in. \$2.00 Printed Crepes	\$1.79
Wednesday only	
Figured Challies	\$1.00
Wednesday only	
Few colors 50 inch Wool Jersey	\$1.00
Wednesday only	
10% on all Wool Dress Goods, Wednesday only.	
7 colors Rayon De Chine	69c
At	
36 in. Blossom Prints, fast colors	29c
At	
Good Grade Pillow Tubing	38c
At	
32 in. Toile Du Nord Gingham	25c
At	
Special 42x36 in. Pillow Case	20c
Wednesday only	
54x76 Mattress Protectors	\$2.49
Wednesday only	
57x77 Mattress Cover	\$1.50
Wednesday only	
Luncheon Set, 36x36, 4 napkins, Assorted colors. All linen, Wednesday only	\$1.25
Odds and Ends Buty Chyne	25c
Wednesday only	
An assortment Lingerie Cloth for underwear	29c
Worth up to 69c	

## WEDNESDAY SPECIALS

An assortment of Wash Cloths	10c
Each	
Hilltex Bed Spreads, 80x105	\$2.69
Wednesday only	
Fancy Garters	49c
Special	
Fancy Garters	59c
Special	

## WEDNESDAY SPECIALS

\$2.00 Rayon Silk Bloomers	\$1.69
All colors and sizes	
Ladies' Regular size Gowns	69c
Batiste	
Ladies' Stout Size Gowns	79c
Batiste	
Children's Bloomers, Sizes 6 to 14	50c
All colors	
Ladies' Crepe	\$1.00
Pajamas	
Men's Athletic Union	69c
Suits	
9x12 Tapestry Rugs	\$20.00
\$22.50 quality for	
9x12 Axminster Rugs	\$33.00
\$36.75 quality for	
9x12 Axminster Rugs	\$44.00
\$50.00 quality for	
Two in one Comfort Blankets	\$4.40
\$5.50 values for	
50 in. Drapery Damask	\$2.19
\$2.75 value, per yard	
36 in. Drapery Damask	\$1.19
\$1.50 value, per yard	
25c Curtain Marquisette	19c
Per yard	

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\$1.19 10 qt. Aluminum Water	\$1.00
Pail	
\$1.25 12 qt. Aluminum	\$1.00
Dish Pan	
\$1.25 Aluminum Round	\$1.00
Roaster	
6 1-2 gallon Galvanized	89c
Garbage Pail	
White Enamel Ware—	
1 1-2 quart sauce pan, 1 quart pudding pan,	
Small bowl, ladle, cup	10c
Each	
\$5.00 Oven for Oil or Gas	\$3.95
Special Price	
1 gallon Thermatic Jug, Hot or	\$1.49
Cold. Special price	
Heisey Tumblers	\$1.50
Colonial pattern, dozen	
English Dinner Ware Patterns, Bright, pretty	
decorations, 1-3 off Wednesday only. Open	
Stock.	
Cedar Oil Polish—	
One pint	35c
bottle	
One quart	65c
bottle	

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8 Ounce Bottle Nicely Boxed

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## Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 76.

## MRS. ANDREWS IS AUXILIARY GUEST.

Mrs. T. E. Andrews, head matron at the O. S. and S. O. Home, was a guest of Joseph P. Foody, Post American Legion Auxiliary, at the monthly meeting at Post Hall, Monday evening, and addressed the organization in a most pleasing manner. She commended the work of the society for war veterans and their families.

Reports of the treasurer, Mrs. E. P. Baldwin, Mrs. W. R. Bennett, secretary and Mrs. Edward Paul, chairman of the hospital committee, were heard. A "package sale" was held and netted the auxiliary \$4.20. This amount will be added to the flower fund.

Musical numbers were given during the evening by Guido Pesavento; Dorothea Lawson, Dorothy Ciemmer and Catherine Mangum, on the violin and piano, and were greatly appreciated.

A refreshment course was served by the hostess committee, composed of Mrs. Fred Baldwin, chairman; assisted by Mrs. Bridget Leahy, Mrs. Anna Horren and Miss Kathryn O'Dea.

## V. J. B. CLUB RECEIVED BY DAYTON MEMBER FRIDAY.

Miss Ethel Miller, assisted by Mrs. Fred King, Yellow Springs, and Mrs. Earl Wooley, this city, entertained members of the V. J. B. Club at her home in Dayton, Friday evening.

After a short business meeting, games and contests were enjoyed by the guests. Prizes were won by Miss Margaret Calhoun and Miss Edith Jackson. A delicious salad course, appointed in green and white, was served the following guests:

The Misses Lemma Saunders, Clara Street, Edith Jackson, Mildred Cross, Mildred Dice, Catherine Michener, Faye Webster, Helen Ford, Fern Griffith, Ruth Burrell, Margaret Calhoun, Mrs. Hattie Schaefer, Mrs. Lawrence Luttrell, Mrs. Robert Stanton, Mrs. Miller and the hostesses.

## FORMER XENIA IS MARRIED IN DAYTON

Mr. Homer Shepard, Dayton, former Xenian and Miss Lillian Carter, Dayton, were married at a Dayton Lutheran Church, Saturday, with quiet ceremony. Mrs. Carl Leopold, sister of the bridegroom, entertained with a dinner, Sunday, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Shepard.

Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shepard and twin daughters of Piqua; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brandon, Piqua; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shepard, and little daughter, of Xenia; Miss Dorothy Bowers, Springfield and Mrs. Robert Slek and son, Bobbie, of Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Shepard are residing in Dayton where Mr. Shepard is employed at the Delco.

## EVENING PARTY FOR REGENT BRIDE MONDAY.

Mrs. Gene Cronk, (Mary Schiebold) whose marriage took place recently, was honored when her sister, Miss Barbara Schiebold entertained with a miscellaneous "shower" at their home on High St., Monday evening. Nineteen young women were entertained.

Mrs. Carl Schiebold, Mrs. Sewell Nevitt and Mrs. Raymond Slagle won the contest prizes during the evening. A salad course was served. Mrs. Cronk received many dainty gifts.

## TRINITY M. E. CLASS RECEIVED MONDAY EVENING.

Mrs. V. F. Brown's class, Trinity M. E. Church, was graciously entertained Monday evening, when Mrs. C. O. Rankin opened her home on E. Main St., for the regular social gathering.

Mrs. Rankin was assisted by Mrs. George Eckerle, Miss Marguerite Stokes, Mrs. Paul Turnbull and Mrs. Conklin. A business meeting was held, followed by a social hour and refreshments.

## LUTHERAN DINNER

Mrs. Ellen White and Mrs. Edna Randall are chairman of the dinner to be given at First Lutheran Church, Thursday night, beginning at 5:30. Roast chicken will be the place of resistance on the menu and many delicacies will embellish the dinner. The public is urged to patronize the affair.

Miss Ethel Highley of the Rike-Kumler Co., Dayton, has been confined to her home on the Springfield Pike, several days, with an attack of grip but is now convalescent.

Mr. Roy Lewis, 138 Hill St., is suffering from an infected hand, caused by an injury received while at his work about two weeks ago.

Junior choir of the First M. E. Church will hold a meeting at the church Wednesday afternoon after school is dismissed. All members are urged to come.

Mr. Daniel Nichols, Jr., has returned to the Ohio State University, after spending his spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nichols, N. Galloway St.

Miss Lois Street, E. Third St., played with a string ensemble at Grace M. E. Church, Dayton, Sunday morning and in the evening gave a cello solo at the same church. She was the guest during her visit in Dayton, of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jackson, Fountain Ave.

Mrs. Emma McCalmont, N. Galloway St., is visiting her daughter, Miss Clara McCalmont, teacher in the Middletown, O., schools.

A Rebekah Thimble party will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Hull, Dayton Ave., Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The condition of Attorney Marcus Shoup, who underwent an operation for goitre a week ago at Dr. Cryle's Clinic Hospital, Cleveland, continues to improve rapidly. He is able to take short walks and is expected to be removed home the first of next week.

## MARINES DEPART AS STIRRING TIMES OF LATE WAR RECALLED

Leathernecks Leave East By Train To Meet Transport

WASHINGTON, Mar. 28.—The throb of farewells, the rumble of troop trains and the cheers for departing fighting men brought back a touch of the stirring times of the world war today as the marines started for China. The 1,500 "leathernecks" ordered to Shanghai were leaving from Philadelphia, Quantico, Va., and Paris Island, S. C.

Setting out in fan-like order over a half dozen railroads, the troop trains will pass through nearly every section of the country in their long rail trip to San Diego. With the transport Henderson steaming at full speed from Corning, it is probable that the whole marine contingent will be off for the Orient next Monday.

Carrying full equipment and armed with machine guns and the latest death-dealing rifles, the marines said their good-byes prepared for a long stay from home shores. Despite the eased tension in the international settlement in Shanghai, the word spread through the service that the American forces in China had a stiff job and a long one ahead of them.

With the marine force of less than 20,000 already depleted by forces in China, Nicaragua and on ships, the navy's bluejackets were speculating up the time of a call for more ships and the army's doughboys began to gossip about the prospects for some action.



Weekly meeting of Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America, originally scheduled for Tuesday night at Central High School, has been postponed until Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock. Scoutmaster R. H. Kingsbury announces.

## GRADE REPORTS

Grade cards for the month of March show the following pupils received "A" at Hawkins School, officials announce:

Paul Butt, Ronald Butt, one A; Ernest Palmer, Mary Butt, Janelle Moore, James Delph and William Laurens, three A's; Hester Laurens, two A's; Elizabeth Butt, two A's; Janet Murry, four A's; Carl Osman, and Martha Osman, six A's; and Marvin Laurens, seven A's.

## Calendar Of Events

(Notices of coming events in social or fraternal circles, lodge meetings, club gatherings or benefits will be published in this column free of charge. Phone notices not more than ten days preceding the event itself.)

TUESDAY, MARCH 29: Obedient Council D. of A. Xenia I. O. O. F. Rotary Kiwanis.

Rummage sale, First M. E. Church, Dowling Room, E. Main St. Please patronize.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30: Jr. O. U. A. M. Ivanhoe Lodge, K. of P. Church Prayer Meetings.

THURSDAY, MARCH 31: Red Men. D. of X. D. of A. Chicken supper, First Lutheran Ladies' Aid, at church. Thursday evening, March 31, from 6:30 to 7 o'clock. Public invited.

FRIDAY, APRIL 1: Eagles.

MONDAY, APRIL 4: Xenia S. P. O. D. of P. Phi Delta Kappa.

Nodena Woodmen. B. P. O. E. Shawnee I. O. O. F.

Wright Council R. and S. M.

## STUDES REBEL, TEACHERS STRIKE



L. E. Briggs, principal of Knoble, Ark., high school, spanked (l. to r.) Maggie Handley, Virginia War, Robert Booker and Grace Carter after a controversy over a paddling given young Booker. As a result Briggs was forced to resign. Now other teachers in the school are out on a sympathy strike.

## COURT OF APPEALS CONSIDERS CASES AT SESSIONS HERE

Nine cases appealed in error from Common Pleas Court faced the Greene County Court of Appeals, second appellate district, when it convened here Tuesday.

Appeals court judges include H. L. Farneding, Dayton, presiding judge; James I. Allread, Columbus, and A. H. Kunkle, Springfield. Judge Allread was presiding judge last term but has the title of associate judge this term.

Because documents in the cases were not complete, the cases of the Greene County Lumber Co. against the Peoples Building and Savings Co. and others, and James R. Watt and others against Judge R. L. Gowdy, as executor of the estate of Elizabeth M. Lytle, deceased, will not be heard in Xenia.

These cases will be considered probably next month by the higher court when it convenes in Dayton or Springfield.

Other cases slated for consideration on the Court of Appeals dock at:

The Greene County Lumber Co. vs. Laura Dunkle, E. L. Johnson and C. L. Darlington are attorneys for the plaintiff in error with attorneys L. T. Marshall, J. C. Marshall and E. W. Dunkle representing the defendant in error.

Jennie Hickman vs. the state of Ohio. F. L. Johnson, plaintiff's attorney.

M. J. Dugan vs. state of Ohio. F. L. Johnson, plaintiff's attorney.

Two phases of an appeal of Howard Gauey vs. William H. Cary and others. Twenty-five defendants represented by seven attorneys are named. Shank and List and Marshall and Marshall are plaintiff's attorneys.

F. A. Jackson, treasurer of Greene County vs. Homer Hudson, J. A. Finney is plaintiff's attorney with Attorney F. H. Dean, defendant's counsel.

Habeas corpus proceeding filed by Attorney F. L. Johnson to obtain release of Edward Fox from the County Jail.

## PASTOR DISCUSSES CHARITIES BEFORE LEAGUE BOARD HERE

The address of the Rev. W. N. Shank, pastor of First M. E. Church, on "Organized Charities" at the monthly session of the Social Service League executive board at City Hall, Monday night, attracted a large number of interested people to the meeting.

The Rev. Mr. Shank discussed his association with charity work in one of the larger cities of the state, and stressed the fundamental points of charity organizations. A general business meeting of the board preceded his talk.

Mrs. George C. Stokes, executive secretary, dealt with sixty-nine families in need of aid, during February, she announced in her monthly report. Relief was given in fifty-three cases and twelve transients were given assistance.

Twelve families were given grocery orders, thirteen, coal and five families, medicine or medical attention. Milk was furnished seven families of the city during the month, five families furnished household articles and two families were given food. Thirty-nine families were given clothing and shoes by the League. A number of individuals and organizations donated articles to the league and the organization co-operated with churches, charitable organizations and state institutions. Forty-one calls were made by Mrs. Stokes during the month and 345 calls were received at the office.

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## JAPNAVAL OFFICER COMMITS SUICIDE

HAI, March 28.—Lieutenant K. Araki, in command of the Japanese destroyer Hinoki, arrived in Shanghai today from Nanking and went aboard the flagship of the Japanese forces and reported to the admiral and then committed suicide.

Araki left a note indicating that his mind had been unbalanced by the horrors he had seen at Nanking.

## XENIAN OFFICER OF DESTROYER SHOT AT BY CHINESE FORCES

Lieut. Merle Ross, U. S. Destroyer Preble, son of Mrs. F. O. Ross, N. Galloway St., is thought to have been injured when the Preble was fired on while in port on the Yangtze River, China, recently. Mrs. Ross has had no recent word of her son, but the last news received gave assurance of his and Mrs. Ross' safety.

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Miss Bernice Taylor, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Taylor, Yellow Springs, Dr. and Mrs. Taylor received a letter Monday from their daughter, written March 2 from Shanghai, where she is stationed while Lieut. Ross is on shipboard. The letter was written before Shanghai was taken by the Chinese, and Mrs. Ross said in her letter that the trouble seems to have the lawless element for the chief participant. She advised her parents not to be uneasy as to her or Lieut. Ross' welfare.

Lieut. and Mrs. Ross went to China a year ago from California but spent the winter in Manila, returning to China a few weeks ago. Newspaper dispatches Monday said the Destroyer Preble on which Lieut. Ross is stationed, had been fired on, but gave no report of loss of life.

## MRS. M. A. BAILEY DIES HERE MONDAY

Mrs. Sarah Bailey, 61, wife of M. A. Bailey, died at her home on the Wilmington Pike at the edge of Xenia at 4:45 o'clock Monday afternoon following a year's illness, from a complication of diseases. Her condition took a serious turn last Thursday. Mrs. Bailey was born in London, England but had lived in this vicinity for the past twenty years. Surviving is her husband and the following children: Sidney, Xenia; Stanley, Springfield, O.; Mrs. Thomas Taylor, Jamestown; Mrs. Marshall Thomas, Xenia; Mrs. Chester Brown, near Xenia; Leslie, St. Augustine, Fla., and Theodore, at home. Three children are dead. Two brothers and one sister, living in England, and fifteen grandchildren, also survive.

Mrs. Bailey was a member of the Christ Episcopal Church, where funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Woodland Cemetery. Friends may call at the home any time Wednesday afternoon or evening.

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## THE ADVERTISING MONARCH

The president of Street & Finney, prominent New York advertising firm, celebrating its twenty-fifth birthday, looks back over the most remarkable period of advertising development in history. It might almost be said that the advertising art was created during this quarter-century. It has evolved a new spirit and method, it has taken many new forms, it has become the greatest force in modern business.

And what is the most significant thing in the whole development? As President Finney sees it, it is the supremacy of newspaper advertising.

In spite of the competition of magazine and billboard and mail advertising, he says, and in spite of such ultra-modern innovations as radio broadcasting and "sky-writing," the newspaper is today, and apparently is destined to continue, the most powerful of all advertising mediums.

## A DREADFUL PRIZE

The Nobel peace prize of \$15,000 was awarded last September to Stressemann, the German foreign minister, for his contributions to the cause of peace. Now he is having political trouble about it. The Voelkische party, ultra-conservative, insists that he must not accept it, because there is a national law forbidding German officials to accept gifts from foreign countries.

The idea seems to be that a peace prize is a dreadful peril to Germany, and might encourage German statesmen in further efforts to insure European peace.

## KEEPING PEACE IN HAITI

Senator William H. King's run-in with Haiti happens to coincide with the annual report on Haitian affairs just submitted to the state department by Brigadier General John H. Russell, American high commissioner in that country. United States marines dot the landscape in all directions in Haiti, and General Russell attributes to their soothing presence the fact that something approaching tranquility prevails in a realm long addicted to turbulence.

The American high commissioner bestows high praise upon President Borno's government, which "has co-operated in every way for the carrying out of the provisions of the treaty of 1915." By that treaty the United States is practically empowered to rule the roost in Haiti.

American forces there consist of a skeleton brigade of marines and a mine-sweeper.

## STUDENT PREFERENCES

Senior students at Yale and at the Sheffield Scientific School have just been through their annual spring balloting to express their opinions of each other and of things in general. A few surprises developed.

The academic seniors declared English the most useful and psychology the least useful of the subjects they had studied. The scientific students gave business law first place, with English only one vote behind. Both groups found Mussolini the "biggest world figure today," President Coolidge being second in one school and third in the other. Their favorite prose writers prove to be Conrad, Dumas and Galsworthy, indicating that the voting students are not yet complete converts to H. L. Mencken.

It looks as if those Yale seniors had some notions of their own not set forth in the novels and plays supposedly depicting college youth.

Apparently the study of psychology at Yale has not yet been linked up with the high-powered super-salesmanship of the outside world.

## GIRLIES



"SHOULD I MARRY A MAN WHO LIES?"  
"YOU DON'T WANT TO BE AN OLD MAID—DO YOU?"

## A TOUGH JOB FOR ANY DOVE

Keeping HEALTHY  
by Dr. A. F. Currier

## ABSCESS OF THE LIVER

H. E. M. wants an article on the symptoms and treatment of abscess of the liver. "A member of my family is suffering from liver disease."



Dr. Currier, not very abundantly supplied with nerves of sensation, consequently an abscess in its early stages causes little disturbance, far less than it would near the surface of the body, indeed there are plenty of cases in which it would not have been known that an abscess existed in the liver had it not been found at an autopsy.

In some cases, however, the symptoms are very marked, and include rapid pulse, chills, fever, sweating, pain, loss of appetite, general weakness and emaciation, noticeable enlargement of the organ, especially when one is standing, hiccup, nausea, vomiting, and more or less well-marked jaundice and dropsy. The fever is not extreme, the chills are fever suggest malaria, but chills are always suggestive also of the formation of pus, that is of an abscess. There may be one large abscess or there may be a multitude of small ones.

Pain becomes severe as the pus approaches the surface, and may be felt in the region of the liver or referred to the right shoulder blade or right lung.

As the inflammation progresses the liver becomes adherent to the abdominal wall or elsewhere so that when the abscess is ripe and breaks it may break through the diaphragm and empty into the bronchial tubes, the patient being almost choked as he endeavors to expectorate a quantity of reddish or brownish fluid. Naturally the cough is severe in such cases and there may be great difficulty in breathing.

The abscess may also burst into the peritoneal cavity with rapidly fatal issue or into the stomach, intestine, kidney, pleural or pericardial cavity. An abscess of this kind may be caused by germs brought from the digestive organs by way of the portal vein, and may be secondary to dysentery, ulcer of the stomach, hemorrhoids, typhoid fever, appendicitis, or gall stones. It may be caused by a blow on the abdomen and in children is often due to this cause, developing sometimes slowly, sometimes rapidly.

In new-born infants it is not infrequently present as the result of infection carried through the veins of the umbilical cord.

One who has this trouble is more

comfortable lying on the back or right side than in any other position. Medicines must be given to relieve the pain and cough, and ipecac or its active principal emetine, is given with the idea of trying to kill the germs which cause the disease. The only correct and thorough treatment consists in opening the abscess and treating it as an abscess would be treated in any other part of the body.

After the pus has been evacuated the temperature will drop, the patient will feel relieved and he will get well with proper care unless there are other abscesses have not been found and relieved.

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**  
J. C.: For two months I have been greatly troubled with pain in my heel, but there is no evidence of a sore on the surface. I work every day but in the afternoon my heel becomes very painful. Could you tell me the cause of it and how I could get rid of it?

Answer—It is a form of rheumatism and is not at all uncommon in cold weather. Keep your bowels freely open with Epsom salts and use fifteen to twenty grains of salicylate of soda, in divided doses daily.

Ask Dr. Currier that medical question that has been puzzling you. Confine your letter to fifty words and send stamped, addressed envelope for reply. He cannot, of course, make individual diagnoses, and he reserves the right to decide as to the propriety of queries.

## How to Achieve Beauty

## SPRING HATS AND SPRING COMPLEXIONS

Important Suggestions Regarding "Line" in Hats

In selecting a hat for morning, sports or street wear, the general outline is a foremost consideration. The shape, size and poise of the head—the hair line—the length and circumference of the neck—the angle of the shoulder line—all of these must be carefully studied, especially in the hat which is to accompany the more tailored clothes that the hat should be built on lines which add to the total length of the figure and one that follows the same general lines as the frock.

Lines of heightening tendency offer a wide diversity of choice these days, when heads are sleek and small around and crowns are high, so the Easter hat problem is somewhat simplified.

For the woman who does not wear tailored or sports hats to accompany the tailored outfit, or for the woman who is no longer slim or young, the shape of the hat will largely dictate her choice.

These types of women, although they must, of course, consider line, which is always indispensable, nevertheless must study becomingness, and by this I mean they must give first consideration to the front face view and after that they must use the hand mirror to see that the side and back views are in harmony.

The lines in hats for these types of faces must usually be soft, either draped or with a slightly rolling brim, but still in keeping with the smallness of the mode. Women of this type will usually wear pearls or furs or something to complement these soft lines.

And while the younger, thinner woman can affect an alluring rakishness, the woman who is a little more mature or a little stouter

## Wears 60 Bracelets



There's a thin bracelet fad at Palm Beach, the idea being to wear as many as you can—afford. Mrs. Orson D. Munn, one of New York's "400," is shown with 60 bracelets.

## KELLYGRAMS by FRED C. KELLY

## SPELLING ABILITY VS. INTELLIGENCE

Newspaper reports say that Aristide Briand may lose his chance for a place in the French Academy, composed of forty "immortals," because he is a poor speller.

Perhaps there is less excuse for M. Briand making mistakes than for those of us who spell in English. But the episode serves as a reminder that teachers still re-

FRED KELLY gave good spelling as a sign of intelligence. And yet persistence in using reasoning powers would make almost any of us poor spellers.

The child who early acquires ability to win spelling matches is almost sure to be one who doesn't trust his reason, but accepts what he hears on faith. A disposition to follow sensible reasoning processes would only get him into trouble. Indeed, our unnecessary letters and idiotic inconsistencies in spelling so befuddle a child that it is almost impossible to teach him anything.

Imagine the plight of a child who, having learned that d-o-n-e spells a word pronounced dun, tries to make rational deductions about the probable pronunciation of bone and gone. Knowing how to pronounce love doesn't help him in, say, move or rove. After learning that t-h-o-u-g-h means tho, he naturally assumes that r-o-u-g-h is ro and c-o-u-g-h is co. Before he has gone far in school, he sees the necessity of dispensing entirely with logic and accepting the mere say-so of his teacher.

Perhaps this is one explanation of the fact that astonishingly few of us are able to cope with new problems or to think independently.

We buy worthless mining stocks, and let ourselves be talked into all manner of foolish enterprises because too inclined to believe any fairly plausible story we hear.

Maybe we'd better off if more of us were poor spellers.

HER DAY OF WORK AND PLAY  
by Amy Alcott

## Pie Needed in Europe

It would appear that the best ambassador the United States could send to Europe is an old-fashioned housewife who could bake a real, deep-dish pie.

Pie is pie, and the greatest minds of Europe, including the financiers and the economists, have found that America is the greatest pie-making nation in the world.

In a few months the great exodus of Americans will start toward Europe, and the hotel man over there is almost beside himself in trying to solve the problem of pie. The first thing the American asks for is pie, and pie is almost an unknown quantity in Europe.

These startling views on the importance of the great American pie were brought back to the United States by J. Leslie Kincaid, president of the American Hotels Corporation, after attending the International Hotel Congress in Cairo.

The 300 hotel men from nineteen European countries attending the conference talked pie. "Tell us how to make pie," they pleaded as they gathered about the men from this side of the ocean.

"Our summer customers from your country want 'pie,'" said a French hotel man. "Tell us what to do. We must have pie. A man from Boston shouts for pie every morning for breakfast."

**Milwaukee Needs Policewomen**  
Three years ago Milwaukee had two policewomen, but they resigned, and it was the local consensus of opinion that Milwaukee would not have any more. However, need for a woman to handle cases that involved women caused the chief of police to appoint Mrs. Helen B. Lemmon.

**Women Run Newspaper**  
What do women expect a newspaper to be? When women members of the Lancaster, Pa., Quota club took charge of the Lancaster "Intelligence" for a day, the lead editorial said, "If this paper were to continue to be edited and published by the club, it would be absolutely non-political and would only advocate what would be for the best interest of the community including city and county, and always have due regard for the best interest of the taxpayer and citizen."

"Dollars invested in the education of the youth will produce thousands in the religion, morality and decorum of future generations. School and church spires mark the progress a municipality has attained."

**Living Her Own Life.**  
Not her father's eminent position as one of the chief partners in J. P. Morton & Co., nor his wealth nor the fact that he is an official adviser to the Coolidge administration have deterred Miss Elizabeth R. Morrow from preparing for a serious career of her own.

This daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow, is to become a school teacher in the fall. She is to join the staff of the Dwight School for Girls in Englewood, N. J., where she received the earlier part of her education.

After being graduated from Smith college last year, she is now abroad taking courses at the Sorbonne and literature and languages at the University of Grenoble.

## Little Old New York

NEW YORK, March 29.—What

has become of the old-time New York hotel clerk, in the check suit, with the \$19,000 diamond shirt stud,

and the pen behind his ear, who used to swing the register round on its little revolving, wooden platform, take a squint at your monicker, grab your mitt in a warm, moist clasp of fellowship, call you by name, tell you how glad he was to see you and hoped you'd enjoy your stay in town?

He departed a long time ago, while buttercakes at Child's were still two for a nickel; and with him the landlord who used to offer the first month's rent free, as an inducement and showed up four or five times a year to inquire if everything was "satisfactory," and if you were happy.

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A Herald square Boob Bazaar, advertising leather goods, blazons the line in the newspapers thus: "BE A MAN OF MYSTERY—Replace your frazzled old briefcase with an imported English attache case of cowhide, solidly constructed, with round corners and nickel locks. It will give you the air of an ambassador in action."

In other words, be a four-flush. Give the impression of being something you're not. Deceive your fellow-man on the same elaborate and generous scale as the well-dressed man with a hole in his sock.

As a matter of fact, nobody uses a brief-bag any longer, except the bootlegger. If the attache case becomes popular and you encounter a man with one, there'll be no way of telling whether he's on his way to wipe a joint, defend a client, settle an international dispute, preach a sermon or tune a piano.

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It was Erlanger who conceived and formulated the first theatrical trust, back in 1892—exactly 400

years after Columbus discovered America. Abe and his associates had things pretty much their own way until somewhere around the turn of the century when Sam and Lee Shubert breezed into town from Syracuse.

Sam had something the matter with his hip that interfered with his walking; but he was a square-shootin' little chap—capable and well liked. He started from the bottom of the ladder and everything he owned he has earned. He was killed in a railroad accident.

Lee Shubert had once thought of studying law, but something got in the road and he entered the theatrical business by way of the haberdashery shop. He used to stand behind a counter up in Syracuse selling handkerchiefs in a hole in the wall that established its identity through the medium of a sign which remarked: "Gents' Furnishings."

Later, Jake brought Lee down from the old home town and the firm became known as "Lee and Jake."

Lee was the last of the brothers in on the game; but he brought the greatest talent to the combination. Abe Erlanger realized at once that in Lee Shubert he had a foreman worthy of his steel. For twenty-five years the two staged the Battle of Broadway. It was war of the bitterest kind. So intense was the rivalry between the pair that the mutual hatred that it engendered undermined their constitutions. And now, that they're "not so well," a truce has been declared.

One of the sights of Broadway that its many chroniclers have failed to mention, is Lee Shubert and Abe Erlanger, lunching together at the Hotel Astor, smiling into each other's eyes and longing again for the good old days when the morning exercise of each included the job of whetting the scalp knife.

SONGS of a HOUSEWIFE  
by Marjorie K. Rawlings

## THE LOOK OF SPRING

There is no sunshine in the air.  
No birds come back to sing.  
But still the tall old willows wear  
The lovely look of Spring.

Something of green life, young and free,  
Upon their branches lies.  
Their ancient heads lift gracefully  
Against the cloudy skies.

And I have known old folks, whose years  
Are only Time's white snows,  
Through which the look of Spring  
appears  
And on their faces glows.

The spirit knows no age, no time.  
Its boundless youth can bring,  
Across the hills of life we climb,  
The young, fresh look of Spring.

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## The Theatre

By JACK HANLEY

## International News Service Staff Correspondent

LOS ANGELES, March 29.—Are screen stars "discovered overnight" or must every screen celebrity first serve an apprenticeship as an extra?

Fred Nibaldo, director of "Ben Hur" and "Camille," like Norma Talbidge believes actors need previous screen or stage experience.

"Fundamentals of poise and personality that stamp the finished artist can only be learned with time," said the director. "The public hears of a new find being 'discovered overnight.' However, they do not realize that 'find' labored as an unknown extra before being suddenly elevated to fame."

Comedy ranks first as the best screen entertainment and is the best selling motion picture commodity in the United States today, according to a theatre survey made by B. P. Schulberg, associate Paramount producer.

In checking up what the public likes in the way of motion picture entertainment, the producer discovered comedy ranks first, romance second, and melodrama third.

As a result Hollywood comedians will have a big year in 1927 and special stories are being purchased for Wallace Beery, Eddie Cantor, Raymond Griffith, Bebe Daniels, W. C. Fields and other film funsters at Famous Players-Lasky West Coast studios.

The old-fashioned girl in gingham isn't old-fashioned any more. She has become an up to date 1927 model.

Billie Dove, First National featured player, has made the vogue of her own and has added to her wardrobe a frock in blue and white gingham taffeta which is positively the last word. The taffeta is precisely the same material which grandmother used for her aprons but differently handled.

Miss Dove's dress is a two-piece model. The jumper follows the tailored mode with long sleeves, a narrow belt of the material fastened with a vestee effect in which the checked silk is laid in tiny plaits to give a darker effect. With it Miss Dove wears a tiny collar of Venetian lace.

The skirt is cut short and with a straight effect, given width by

## MAKING MODERN MENUS

Many of us have an affection for hamburger, but never have it in our homes. It may be made a delicacy if prepared properly.

## HAMBURGER ROAST

Season a pound and a half of the chopped meat and mould it into one round cake an inch thick. Place it on a shallow, well-oiled baking dish which can be used for serving. Sprinkle the top thickly with dry mustard until the whole surface is yellow. Slice onion around the cake, dot them with butter, sprinkle all with salt and pepper, and bake in a hot oven forty minutes.

Bake potatoes at the same time but separately, and when they are baked serve broken open, with generous lumps or squares of butter in the openings.



## TRIPLE TIE KNOTS TEAMS IN CENTRAL HIGH CLASS LOOP

A triple tie existed for first place between the seniors, juniors and sophomores at the conclusion of the final games in the intramural basketball league at Central High School. Whether a play-off will be made for the title is undecided.

Each of the three upper class teams won two games and lost one. The freshmen dropped three straight contests.

Henrie, member of the senior quintet, and Karch, of the junior team, tied for individual scoring honors of the league, each with twenty-four points. Scurry, of the sophomores, was second with nineteen, and Sutton, a senior, third with fifteen.

Seniors led the total team scoring with seventy-one points, followed by the juniors with fifty-five, sophomores, forty-seven, and freshmen, nine points.

The school faculty five was undefeated in two games with class teams, defeating the seniors, 17 to 16 and the juniors, 35 to 15. Faculty players scored fifty-five points, of which twenty-seven were made by Coach Vic Kolb.

Scores of the various class games follow:

Juniors, 23; Sophomores, 22. Seniors, 15; Sophomores, 17. Freshmen, 3; Sophomores, 8. Freshmen, 6; Seniors, 23. Seniors, 18; Juniors, 17. Juniors, 2; Freshmen, 0. (Forfeit).

## MYTHICAL ALL-STAR CLASS TEAM PICKED BY SCHOOL SCRIBE

Bob Adair, Central High School correspondent of the Evening Gazette and Morning Republican, has selected an all-star basketball team from the junior, senior, sophomore, freshmen and faculty class teams, based on the showing of members of the teams in the recent intra-mural high school cage league, just completed.

Faculty is given two places on the first team, seniors, juniors and sophomores each one place.

The seniors and juniors each got two positions on the second team, and the sophomores one place.

A preponderant of scoring strength is the main feature of both teams.

Adair's selections follow:

First team Second team  
Karch, (juniors), 1. Hill, (seniors), 1.  
Patterson, (faculty), 2. Keiter, (juniors), 1.  
Scurry, (sophomores), 3. Higgins, (juniors), 2.  
Henrie, (seniors), 4. Snyder, (sophomores), 3.  
Kolb, (faculty), 5. Bond, (faculty), 1.

Honorable mention: Bond, (faculty); Jones, (sophomores); Whitworth, (faculty); Heaton, (seniors); and Smittle, (freshmen).

## WEALTHY CHICAGO MAN ENDS HIS LIFE

CHICAGO, March 23.—Edward A. Holden, 55, wealthy Chicago dry goods merchant, his throat slashed from ear to ear, a bloody razor beside him, was found dead in his berth when the Chicago and Alton's midnight special from St. Louis arrived here today.

Identification was established by D. I. Williams of Marshall Field and Company while police refused to permit luggage to be searched pending the arrival of fingerprint experts.

## URGENT ATTENDANCE

All Xenia retail merchants are urged to attend the monthly meeting of the Xenia Retail Merchants' Association at City Hall, Tuesday night, to hear a talk by Secretary Jones, of the Dayton Retail Merchants' Credit Bureau. A field representative of the same bureau will also be present at the meeting and an interesting discussion of the credit problem is anticipated.

## CHANGE DATE

Announcement was made Tuesday that the date for Cedarville College's opening baseball game of the season with Wilberforce University, has been changed from April 4 to April 11.

The initial diamond battle will take place on the Wilberforce field.

## As an Athlete

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## AFTER THE STORM HAD PASSED



Bobby Jones, Atlanta's youthful golfing wizard, proved by far the best of the field of the foremost amateur and professional stars of golfdom when he finished first in the Southern Open Golf Championship played on his home

## JUDGE SMITH'S SUIT AGAINST CITY DISMISSED BY COURT

Former Municipal Judge E. Dawson Smith's suit against the city of Xenia to recover \$684 in state fees alleged to have been collected by him during his reign as police judge and turned into the city treasury under protest, was dismissed by Common Pleas Judge R. L. Gowdy Monday.

Judge Gowdy sustained a demurrer to the petition and also sustained demurrer and dismissed the cross-petition of City Solicitor J. A. Finney, seeking to recover \$3,600, Smith's eight-year salary as judge.

Smith will be permitted to file an amended petition in ten days.

Judge Gowdy dismissed both petitions on the ground the payments of state fees to the city and also Smith's salary were voluntary.

Smith had alleged in his demand upon the city that the state fees he had paid into the city were protested by him at the time he took office.

The suit involved the status of the old municipal court, declared unconstitutional in its creation by a ruling of the state supreme court.

Smith's claim for recovery was based on the state law governing mayor's courts providing the mayor is entitled to all fees in state cases coming under his jurisdiction.

This question arose at the time the police court was created by city commission and Smith's appointment as judge in 1918. The city took the stand that Solicitor Finney in an opinion to commissioners at that time, declared that under the city charter, all fines assessed and fees collected in both state and city ordinance cases must revert to a special fund from which the judge

## MARINE AVIATORS ENGAGE LIBERALS

WASHINGTON, March 23.—An air-land battle between U. S. marine corps aviators and Nicaraguan liberals has been fought near Leon, Nicaragua, according to a dispatch to the navy today from Rear Admiral Latimer, commanding the American occupational force.

A liberal detachment estimated to comprise several hundred rifles and several machine guns opened fire on a marine corps plane carrying Capt. H. D. Campbell and Lieut. F. H. Lamson-Scribner, who were on a reconnaissance trip. Although the ship was 1,500 feet in the air it was struck twelve times, seriously crippling it, but not wounding the flyers.

## ADmits MURDERS; NO RECORDS FOUND

MIDDLETOWN, O., Mar. 23.—Police here today were investigating the confession of Roy Lutes, 29, in which, they report, he admitted three murders, but authorities so far have been unable to find records of the killings. Investigators declare Lutes was intoxicated when he called police on the phone and confessed he killed Robert Hopkins, Geneva, Ill., in 1918, and two other men near Chicago about two years ago. Illinois police have been asked to assist in checking by police who are holding Lutes.

## HOTEL ROOM LOOTED OF \$60,000 IN GEMS

NEW YORK, March 23.—The hunt for the thief or thieves who entered the Ritz Carlton suite of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dahlberg of Chicago and looted a dresser drawer of \$60,000 in gems, resolved itself today into a search for members of a ring of jewel crooks.

Police asserted they had given up the theory that the theft was an "inside job" and had accepted the belief that a "highly professional burglar" stole Mrs. Dahlberg's gems.

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Overruling a motion for a new trial, the court re-affirmed an award to Theodore Simpson, student, of \$1,000 damages in his suit against Wilberforce University in Common Pleas Court. This amount was previously awarded Simpson at a jury trial.

GIVEN JUDGMENT In the case of Cyrus L. Wantz against Charles Wantz in Common Pleas Court, the plaintiff has been ordered to recover a judgment of \$772.36 from the defendant.

ANSWER DATE SET The Carey Contracting Co., defendant in a suit brought in Common Pleas Court by The Green and Green Co., has been ordered to answer the petition by April 16.

DEFAULT OPENED In the case of John Lee Elchelberger, executor of the will of Andrew W. Elchelberger, against Joseph P. Meiering and others in Common Pleas Court, on motion of the defendant, the Dayton Savings and Trust Co., Dayton, default for answer of the defendant is opened and it was ordered that the cross petition and answer of the defendant now on file shall remain on file.

CASE DISMISSED An entry dismissing the case of the Home Building and Savings Co. against A. C. Owens without prejudice on application of the plaintiff, has been filed in Common Pleas Court.

SETTLE CASE The suit of John T. Harbine, Jr., against J. T. Barnett and others in Common Pleas Court having been settled to the satisfaction of the plaintiff's claim, the sheriff has been ordered by the court to return the execution made to him.

DEMURRER SUSTAINED In the case of Thomas Lovett against Morris Sharp, former sheriff, in Common Pleas Court, a demurrer to the petition has been sustained and plaintiff granted leave to plead further in ten days.

SERVICE ORDERED An affidavit asking for construction service on the defendants, Hazel Hammers and Lola Trapp, in the case of Pearl Walden against Cora Glover and others in Common Pleas Court, has been granted and service by publication ordered.

EMBARGO ON MILK TO FIGHT TYPHOID WASHINGTON, March 23.—An absolute embargo against milk and cream originating within a radius of 200 miles of Montreal, Canada, was ordered today by the Bureau of Chemistry of the Department of Agriculture, on account of danger from typhoid infection. This action, taken under the federal food and drug act, has the co-operation and advice of the public health service, state department, and the customs bureau of the treasury department.

DAILY MARKETS LIVE STOCK CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK Hogs—Receipts, 2,500; heldover, 1,600; market, dull and draggy to 25c lower. Quotations: 250-350 lbs., \$10.25@11.25; 200-250 lbs., \$11.25@12.25.

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# FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

## Just AMONG US GIRLS

by Kathryn Kenney

Some people fill their jobs—but they fill them with hunk! The mannequin generally fills her job to perfection, unless she eats too much!

It is said that if you do only that work which you are intended to do you'll never get any place. And, if you do more you'll never have the time!

It's easier to strike a position than it is to keep it. Stay in one position too long and it cramps your style. Besides your foot goes to sleep!

Those who are always doing the work of the man ahead may get fired from behind.

Some people talk so much that

he kicks on nothing—except the mahogany!

The salesgirl whose nose is five feet above sea level fills her position and doubles for Queen Mary at the same time. She tries to sell her customer the dress she likes herself and the customer leaves in her old gown and a hurry! The customer may not always be right, but, after all, she shouldn't be left!

If your job is to sell, why act as though you were training for the throne—unless you're going to sell that, too? A nose on the grindstone is worth two in the air.

The bootlegger is one person who fills his job better every day.



FILLING HER JOB

their station in life should be a gas station. They lose sight of every good idea before they get her address!

Give some men a job digging ditches and they'll wear spats. They may step out of a truck, but they never step out of character. The man who thinks he was born to better things should remember that he wasn't born yesterday!

Some men would rather have their names on an office door than on the tongues of their competitors. They forget that every knock is a boost unless you don't answer the door.

The really important person doesn't care where his desk is, as long as has a good light. He wants to get some work done and

even if it's short measure! Any way, love, and his customers, are blind!

Be important and wear a carnation if you must but you will never be great in your job. Over-time is what puts it over. Greatness is knowing that other people are better, but trying your best to catch up!

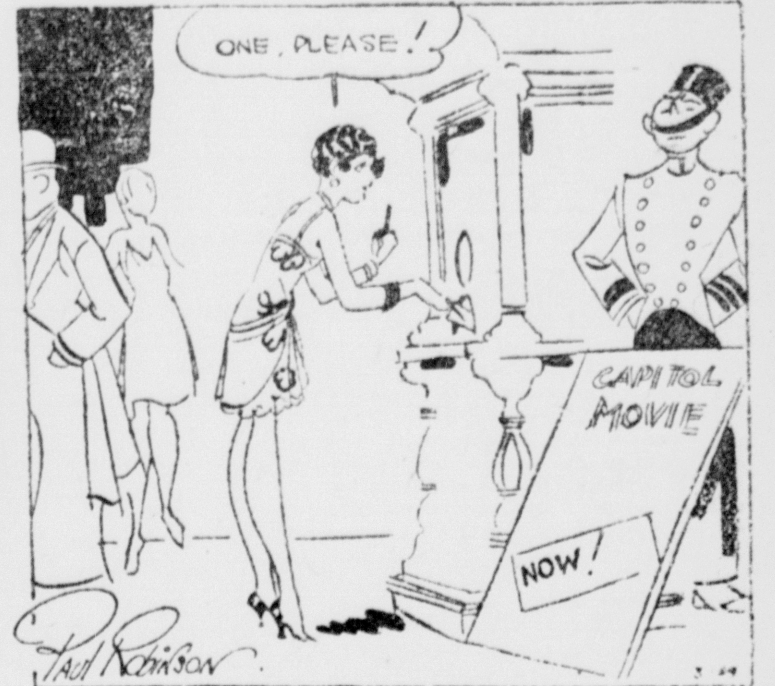
The big frog shouldn't drink up his little puddle if he wants to swim. However, it's not a bad idea to put a fence around it.

The man who wins is the one who runs with the crowd but who has sense enough to sit down and rest once in a while. And then— he catches a ride when the others aren't looking!

## THE GUMPS—AT YOUR SERVICE



## ETTA KETT



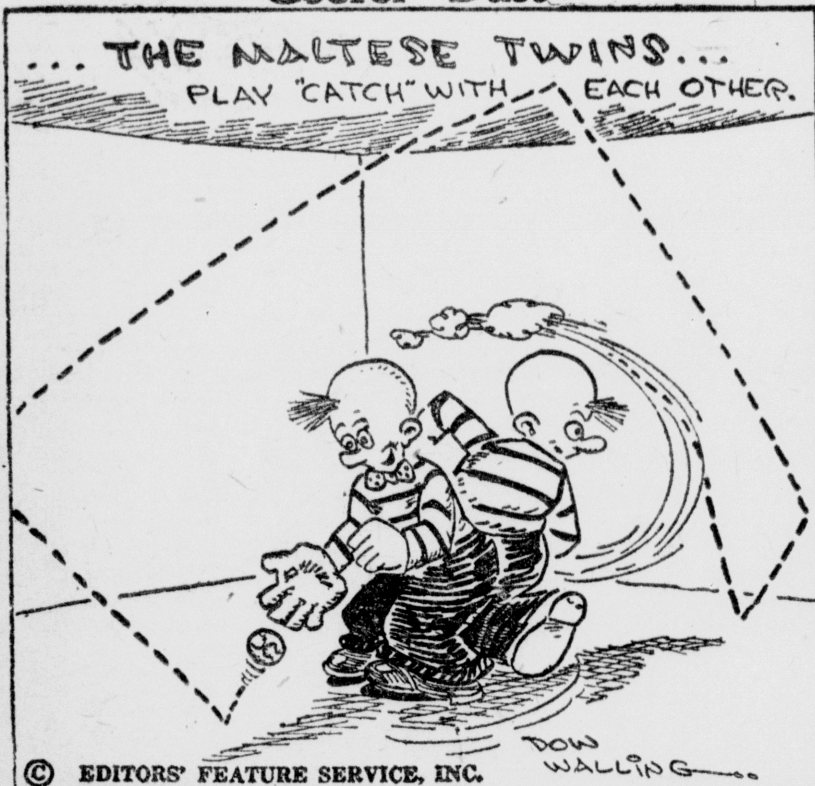
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## "CAP" STUBBS—Cap Manages To Be Cheerful

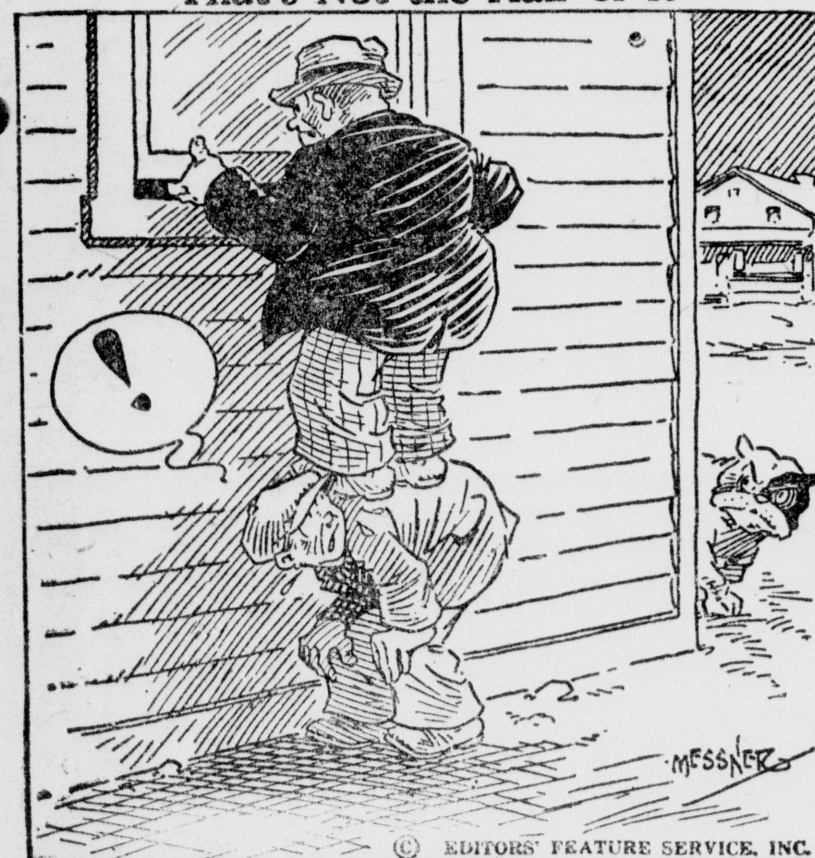


By Edwina

## Goofy Dust



## That's Not the Half of It

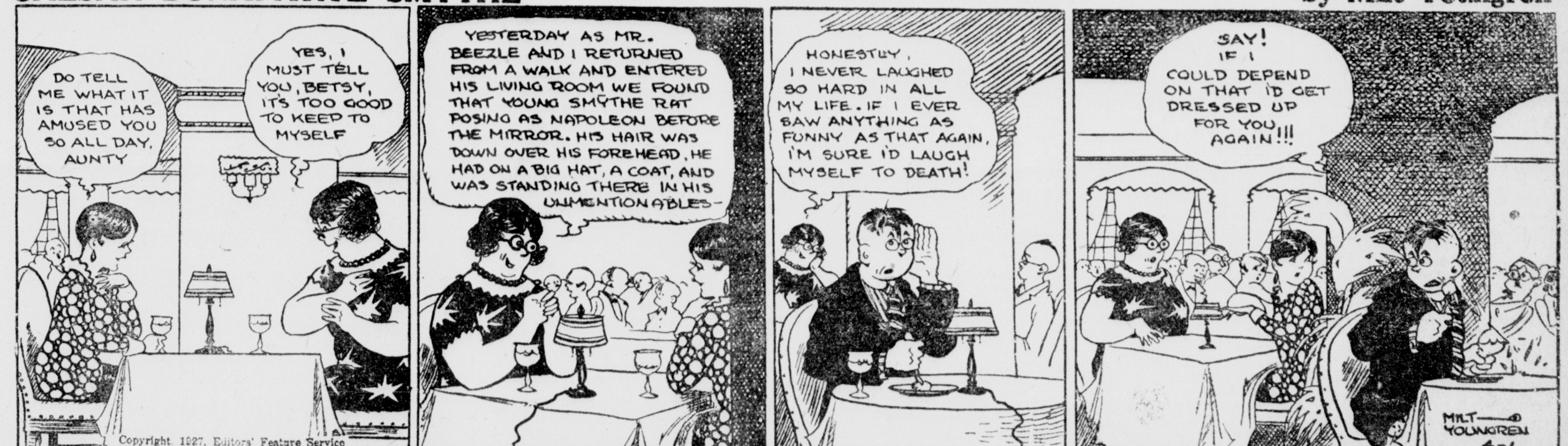


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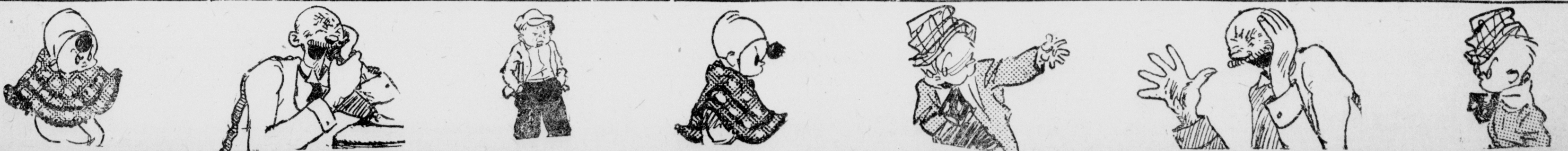


by Percy Crosby

## CAESAR BONAPARTE SMYTHE



by Milt Youngren





## READERS PICK DR. MCLELLAN AS CITY'S FOREMOST CITIZEN

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necessary to change the manner of awarding prizes, and award all three prizes among those who wrote letters nominating Dr. McClellan as Xenia's Foremost Citizen. It was originally intended to award the first prize for the best letter regarding the citizen receiving the greatest number of votes, second prize to the best letter regarding the citizen who received the second largest number and likewise for the third prize.

The first prize winning letter, that of Miss Elwell, is printed today and letters written by the other prize winners will also be published later. The contest itself was inspired by an eastern newspaper syndicate, which wrote to the editor of these papers for the name of Xenia's foremost citizen. The editor passed the query on to readers.

Miss Elwell's letter follows:

These days are not those of great leadership, and yet, it is through such leadership that society has been raised to levels of co-operative effort and accomplishment. Our city is blessed with noble,

public-spirited men and women whose time, money and energy are freely given to better practical conditions, educational interests and spiritual growth of the community.

Of all these citizens, Dr. Ben McClellan stands in closest relation to individuals to whose welfare he has tirelessly ministered, to the home, the church, the library and other educational institutions, the Social Service, the Red Cross, social and patriotic organizations—a potent factor in each of the varied and complex interests of our community. Indeed, there is no wide or general interest but that from his youth, has had and still receives his generous, loyal, and zealous support; it is only the busy man who can find time to respond to so many demands.

Dr. McClellan's beneficent influence radiates far beyond the city blessed and honored by his presence and useful citizenship. Scattered far and wide are many whose lives bear testimony to his personal inspiration. Although dedicated to peace, Dr. Ben's intelligence and skill were at the service of the government and the soldier boy when the war demanded every resource of individual and nation. Is it too strong a paraphrase of a great orator to say that, in relation to his native town, he is first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of us all?

Firm of purpose, strong of spirit, tender and skilled in his relief of suffering, genial and gracious, Dr. Ben McClellan's life is a benediction to the community.

## ON THE AIR FROM CINCINNATI

Station WSAI:  
6:45 p. m.—Community Chest answers.  
7:00—WSAI string quartet, Mary Steele, contralto, soloist.  
8:00—Concert orchestra and Sigmund Nilsen, barytone, New York.  
8:30—Male quartet and instrumental trio, New York.  
9:00—Orchestra, revellers and soloists, New York.  
10:00—Radio auction bridge, New York.  
Station WLW:  
7:00 p. m.—Mel Doherty's orchestra.  
7:30—Musical and contest.  
8:00—Orchestral studio feature.  
9:00—Concert orchestra.  
Station WKRC:  
10:30 p. m.—St. Vincent De Paul program, Fred Boehm, speaker.  
11:00—Pete Mincowski and Eddie Schoelwer.  
11:15—Songs, Chubby Leiber.  
11:30—Alvin Roehr's orchestra.

## GILBERT HAD LONG FIGHT TO FILM FAME

John Gilbert, who is now at the zenith of his fame as a picture actor, and made his great "ten strike" in "The Big Parade," the

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production pictured by King Vidor, which comes to the Opera House for one day, matinee and night Thursday March 31, did not leap to fame.

His was no sudden coming into the limelight. Gilbert was born in Logan, Utah. He began his acting career, as a child, with Eddie Foy, for his people were of the theatre. Then he went to school for a time. After that he became a member of western stock companies, and eventually leading man. But he tired of the stage and went into business.

But just at that time pictures took his attention, and he decided there might be a future in that field, so he got a job. After acting a bit, he went to writing scenarios for Maurice Tourneur, and then was made a director. But he felt his forte, after all, was acting, and so signed up with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, and he is today one of the popular heroes of the screen, but he will not by any chance be any better than he is in "The Big Parade." Seats are now selling at Sohn's Drug Store.

## SQUIRE TEST CASE REACHES APPEALS COURT HERE FIRST

Status of the Ohio Justice of the Peace court is the problem the Greene County Court of Appeals will be called upon to solve in the first test case of its kind to reach an Ohio appellate court, based on the recent United States Supreme Court decision, declaring fee-splitting courts in Ohio are illegal.

The test case was filed in the Greene County Common Pleas Court when Attorney F. L. Johnson instituted habeas corpus proceedings to obtain the release of Edward Fox from the County Jail. Fox was convicted of liquor law violations by R. O. Copey, Justice of the Peace.

Attorney Johnson withdrew the petition Monday and filed it with the Court of Appeals in order to ob-

tain an immediate decision by a more direct method. The Appellate Court judges were in session in Common Pleas Court Tuesday and the Fox case is scheduled for consideration in the afternoon.

Elwell Auditorium, Tuesday night, April 5, at 8 o'clock.

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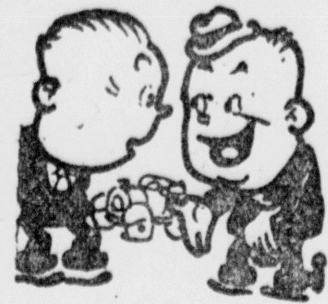
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### READ THIS FIRST:

SYLVIA STARR has been engaged to RANDALL PHELPS for nearly a year when he asks her to break their engagement. He frankly tells her that he's in love with her best friend, FAY SHIRLEY.

Broken-hearted, Sylvia gives him up, much to the satisfaction of her AUNT AGONY, the shrewd spinster who reared her. She encourages Sylvia to marry PETER WILK, a sober-minded bachelor who's in love with her.

As the time draws near for the marriage of Fay and Ranny, Fay tells Sylvia that they have decided that they don't really care enough for each other to go through life together. And Sylvia discovers that Fay is still seeing a great deal of her old beau, EDDIE CARTER.

On a moonlit May night Peter gives guests play hide-and-seek like children, in the dark woods, and Sylvia finds herself paired off with Ranny. He tells her that, after all, she's the only girl in the world for him. Afraid that she may lose him again if she doesn't take him now, Sylvia suggests that they run away that very night and get married. And they do!

Before many months are past, Sylvia finds that her dream of wedded life is very different from Ranny's. His real life is still spent with Eddie Carter's crowd of poker players. He loses heavily and Sylvia keeps house on next to nothing, doing all her own work. And he sees rather too much of Fay.

The day after Sylvia tells Ranny that they're going to have a baby in a few months, she finds Fay Shirley's handkerchief and a carved hairpin of hers in Ranny's car, and takes it to her.

(NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY)

### CHAPTER XIX

FAY never turned a hair at the sight of the tell-tale things she had left in Ranny Phelps' car two nights ago.

She simply raised her green eyes to Sylvia's face in a slow smile and drawled her lazy "Thanks."

"But you needn't have bothered to trot 'em up here with them honey," she coolly added, "I wasn't in any hurry for them," and she yawned comfortably and stretched out her arm for a cigarette from the table beside the bed.

"Have a smoke?" Sylvia looked at her with unwilling admiration as she refused the cigarette. The cool nerve of her! Most girls would have blushed and stammered and tried to explain how they had happened to be with a married man in his automobile late at night. Nine women out of ten would have made up some silly tale to explain how they had happened to drop their hairpins and handkerchiefs there. But not Fay Shirley.

She said nothing at all, but simply reached up to the things and tucked them out of sight under her lacy pillow.

In a half minute she was talking in her lively way about something else, and Sylvia was left to draw her own conclusions as to how she had happened to be in Ranny's car that night!

At first she was tempted to ask Ranny about it.

But on second thought she made up her mind never to mention the affair to him. For he seemed to have forgotten Fay these days.

He seemed to have forgotten everyone but herself. He belonged to her as he never had belonged to her before.

Every night he came home for dinner at The Nest, before six o'clock. Afterward he would help Sylvia with the dishes and then they would settle down to read, or go for a walk, winding up at the movies in all probability. It was like the magical time of their engagement, when Ranny had seemed to want no one but her.

And Sylvia was forced to admit that Aunt Agony had been right when she said: "Nothing makes a man settle down the way a child does."

For the mere prospect of fatherhood had subdued Ranny and made him settle down in a way that seemed nothing short of a miracle to Sylvia.

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He stopped her lips with a kiss. "Forget Fay," he said, "I have."

But if he had forgotten Fay, she was not going to let him forget her so easily.

For one afternoon late in October the doorbell rang, and Sylvia, who had been reading carrots for dinner, wiped her hands, took off her apron and hurried to the door.

There, in the blue-gray dusk of the autumn afternoon, stood Fay, with her arms full of yellow chrysanthemums. She came in filling the air of



"SHE NEVER FORGOT THE LOOK ON FAY'S FACE."

the living room with their acrid smell and the freshness of the outdoors she had come from.

"Go ahead with whatever you were doing, honey," she said, kissing Sylvia on both of her cheeks. "If you were cooking, let me go out into the kitchen with you, and help." She followed Sylvia into the cheerful little blue and white kitchen, but she did not attempt to help her.

Instead she settled herself on a chair and proceeded to smoke cigarette after cigarette, just as fast as she could puff them away.

"What in the world have you been doing with yourself for the last month or so?" she asked. "I haven't seen you for perfect ages."

Sylvia shrugged her shoulders. "Oh, nothing much. Just keeping house and darned socks and things."

"Really, Ranny and I haven't seen the crowd for so long that I bet they've all forgotten what we look like."

"Same thing happens in Chicago every day," laughed Fay, with her meaning as slang.

Sylvia put her carrots on the stove and turned up the flame in the broiler so that it would be piping hot for Ranny's chops when it was time to put them on.

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that there was a bond between herself and Ranny, now, that nothing must break.

She was glad of the dusk all around them—the friendly blue twilight that was like a screen between her and Fay, when she spoke.

"We haven't been going out much lately, Fay," she said. "Because I haven't been feeling very peppy. You see—you see—I'm going to have a baby in the spring."

She never forgot the look on Fay's face when she said it.

Even through the half-darkness she could see how the green eyes widened with surprise and the mouth fell laxly open.

"It's how perfectly wonderful!" Fay said. "Just when she found her voice. 'Aren't you thrilled to death?'"

Sylvia shook her head. "Not what you'd call thrilled to death. You don't get thrilled to death about a baby coming. It's something deeper and quieter than being thrilled—the feeling that comes to you when you know about it," she said. "It's the sort of feeling you have when you go to church early on Easter morning."

She never finished the sentence, for Fay was getting out of her chair and speaking as mechanically as a talking-machine.

"I think it's the most wonderful thing I ever hear of," she was saying jerkily. "Think of you with a baby—wouldn't be the sweetest thing in the world to a mother—now, I've got to go, love, I've got to go."

She only shook her head in refusal when Sylvia asked her to stay to dinner.

She had not been gone for more than five minutes before Ranny came in.

"What's my sweetheart been doing today?" he asked, kissing her forehead, pearl-white under its misty dark hair.

"A lot of—odd jobs that had to be done, soon—or later," Sylvia answered.

That was the last she heard of Fay for more than two weeks.

Then one day early in the afternoon, Fay telephoned and asked her to go for a walk.

They were gone all afternoon. They tramped the sunny length of Dubois street and rambled through Buchanan park, stopping to look at birds and leaves as they had on their girlhood tramps, years before. They talked and laughed, and were happy together, for the first time in months.

"I feel as if Fay and I were really friends again," Sylvia said to Ranny that night at dinner. "I've been so jealous of her for the last few months that I really couldn't like her, as I always had. She was crazy about you—and I was. It—and couldn't do anything to stop her from being in love with you! If she hadn't been my best friend I think I would have scratched her eyes out!"

And that was the end of the Fay affair—or almost the end of it.

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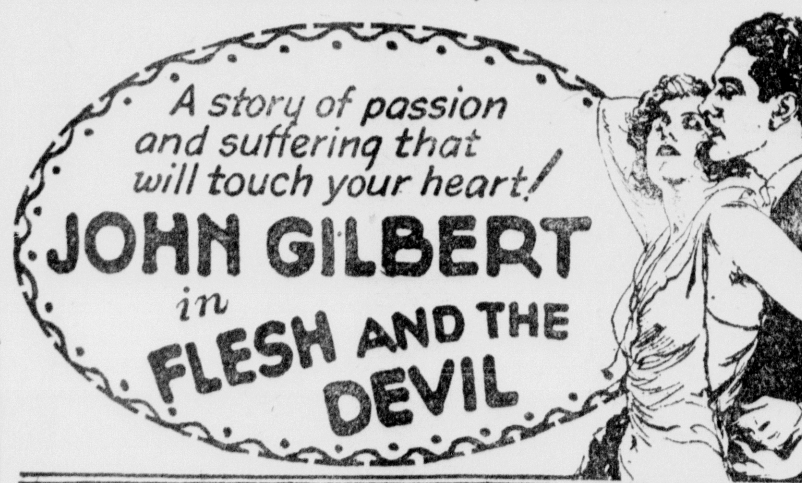
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